

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY SOFIA  
TO USINFO WASHDC PRIORITY  
SECSTATE WASHDC 9171  
USIA WASHDC  
USDEL MBFR VIENNA  
USDEL SALT TWO GENEVA

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E.O. 11652: NA  
TAGS: PROP, PFOR, BU  
SUBJECT: MEDIA REACTION: SAWQ, MBFR

USINFO FOR IOP/M; USIA FOR IEE, IOP, IBS/PE

COMMUNIST PARTY ORGAN "RABOTNICHESKO DELO" SUNDAY,  
FEBRUARY 2, IN FRONT-PAGE EDITORIAL SIGNED BY FOREIGN NEWS  
EDITOR NENCHO KHRANOV, NOTES SIMILARITIES OF SALT AND MBFR TALKS:  
"THEY BECAME POSSIBLE IN ATMOSPHERE OF INTERNATIONAL DETENTE,  
OF APPLICATION OF PRINCIPLES OF PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE, AND CAN  
CONTRIBUTE TO GREAT DEGREE TO BROADENING THE SCOPE OF  
REDUCTION OF TENSION FROM POLITICAL TO MILITARY FIELD". CONCERNING  
SALT, VLADIVOSTOK SUMMIT CREATED "NEW, EXTREMELY PROPITIOUS  
SITUATION....WITHOUT DOUBT, WITH ENERGETIC AND CONSTRUCTIVE  
APPROACH BY BOTH SIDES, ONE MAY EXPECT VERY IMPORTANT  
RESULTS FOR WORLD PEACE. SOVIET UNION HAS GIVEN MORE  
THAN ONCE EVIDENCE OF ITS WELL-INTENTIONED POSITION".  
ON MBFR, "SUFFICIENTLY ENERGETIC  
DEVELOPMENT HAS NOT BEEN OBSERVED THERE....IT IS EVIDENT  
THAT NOW WESTERN PARTICIPANTS IN NEGOTIATIONS MUST CHANGE  
THEIR PATH....ABOVE ALL, IT IS NECESSARY THAT THEY REJECT THEIR  
UNREALISTIC GOAL: THAT REDUCTION OF ARMAMENT IN CENTRAL  
EUROPE CHANGE INTERRELATION OF FORCES IN FAVOR OF NATO".  
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